

## **Jefferson County**

# Solid Waste/Air Quality Committee – Presentation Summary

## Wednesday, June 20, 2018

Fort Atkinson Police Department 101 S. Water Street West, Fort Atkinson, WI 53538 9:30 A.M.

Members: Don Reese-Chair, Greg David-Vice Chair, Alyssa Spaanem-Secretary, Peter A. Hartz, and Dick Schultz

Staff: Matt Zangl, Sarah Higgins, Lindsey Schreiner and Sharon Ehrhardt

The Jefferson County Solid Waste/Air Quality Committee and Drug Coalition attended the Jefferson County Chief's Association meeting to present recognition plaques on June 20, 2018 to the Jefferson County Sheriff's Office and the Police Departments of Jefferson, Fort Atkinson, Whitewater, UW-Whitewater, Palmyra, Lake Mills, Waterloo, Johnson Creek and Watertown.

The plaques display Resolution No. 2018-14 that was passed by the Jefferson County Board of Supervisors on May 8, 2018. Resolution No. 2018-14 thanks the Jefferson County Law Enforcement Agencies that have placed drug drop-off boxes in their departments so residents of Jefferson County have easy access for proper drug disposal. No resident of Jefferson County will have to drive more than ten miles for proper drug disposal. Properly disposed of drugs are kept away from our children, pets, and environment and also prevent unintentional use. As of this date, Jefferson County has disposed of 11,939 pounds of unwanted or unused drugs.

Representing the Drug Coalition were Craig Holler, CJCC/Treatment Courts Coordinator and Emi Reiner, Public Health Nurse. Representing the Solid Waste/Air Quality Committee were Donald Reese- Chair, Dick Schultzmember and Sharon Ehrhardt, Solid Waste/Clean Sweep Specialist.



### Pictured left to right:

Chief Kenneth Pileggi - Jefferson Chief Gary Bleecker – Johnson Creek Chief Denis Sorenson – Waterloo Chief Adrian Bump – Fort Atkinson Public Safety Director James Small - Palmyra Assistant Chief Schwartz – UW-Whitewater

Chief Jeff Parker – Jefferson County

Chief Timothy Roets - Watertown

Capt. Michael Selk – Lake Mills

Supervisor Donald Reese – Jefferson County Board Supervisor & Jefferson County Solid Waste/Air Quality

Committee Chair

STATE OF WISCONSIN

#### **RESOLUTION NO. 2018-14**

Recognizing the Jefferson County Sheriff's Office and the Jefferson County Police Departments of Jefferson, Fort Atkinson, Whitewater, UW-Whitewater, Palmyra, Lake Mills, Waterloo, Johnson Creek and Watertown for placing drug drop-off boxes in their lobbies for easy drug disposal and access for their residents

WHEREAS, the Jefferson County Sheriff's Office and the Police Departments of Jefferson, Fort Atkinson, Whitewater, UW-Whitewater, Palmyra, Lake Mills, Waterloo, Johnson Creek and Watertown have partnered with the Jefferson County Solid Waste/Air Quality Committee in placing drug drop-off boxes in their lobbies, and

WHEREAS, placing drug drop-off boxes in law-enforcement lobbies allows Jefferson County residents to have easy access to dispose of their drugs properly and further provides residents with drug drop-off boxes within ten miles of their home, and

WHEREAS, proper disposal keeps drugs out of the hands of children, Jefferson County ground water and stops their misuse, and

WHEREAS, law enforcement volunteers including Sheriff Paul Milbrath, Sheriff's Deputies, and Watertown and Fort Atkinson Police Officers participated in the collection of drugs at Clean Sweep events, and

WHEREAS, the Jefferson County Solid Waste/Air Quality Committee and the Jefferson County Drug Free Coalition thank the Jefferson County Sheriff's Office and the Police Departments of Jefferson, Fort Atkinson, Whitewater, UW-Whitewater, Palmyra, Lake Mills, Waterloo, Johnson Creek and Watertown for giving back to the community and for volunteering their time at the Clean Sweep program events and proper drug disposal at their collection boxes, and

WHEREAS, without their support, the Jefferson County Clean Sweep program and Drug Take Back collection sites would not be successful.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Jefferson County Board of Supervisors gratefully acknowledges and appreciates its partnership with the Jefferson County Sheriff's Office and the Police Departments of Jefferson, Fort Atkinson, Whitewater, UW-Whitewater, Palmyra, Lake Mills, Waterloo, Johnson Creek and Watertown for the Solid Waste/Air Quality Committee's Clean Sweep and Recycling Program's Drug Take Back initiative.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that upon passage, a copy of this resolution shall be sent to the two local newspapers, posted on the Jefferson County website and the Jefferson County Facebook page and a signed copy be presented to the Sheriff's Office and the Jefferson County Police Departments of Jefferson, Fort Atkinson, Whitewater, UW-Whitewater, Palmyra, Lake Mills, Waterloo, Johnson Creek and Watertown.

Fiscal Note: This resolution will have no fiscal impact.

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COUNTY OF JEFFERSON	)
I. Barbara A. Frank, County	Clerk of Jefferson County, Jefferson, Wisconsin, do hereby certify th

I, Barbara A. Frank, County Clerk of Jefferson County, Jefferson, Wisconsin, do hereby certify that the attached is a true and correct copy of Resolution No. 2018-14, adopted at the May 8, 2018, Session of the County Board of Supervisors at the County Courthouse in the City of Jefferson.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL this	day of May 2018.	
	Barbara A. Frank	
	Jefferson County Clerk	
	Jefferson, Wisconsin	

A Quorum of any Jefferson County Committee, Board, Commission or other body, including the Jefferson County Board of Supervisors, may be present at this meeting.

### This is a Presentation Event no business will be conducted!

INDIVIDUALS REQUIRING SPECIAL ACCOMMODATIONS FOR ATTENDANCE AT THE MEETING SHOULD CONTACT THE COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR 24 HOURS PRIOR TO THE MEETING AT 920-674-7101 SO APPROPRIATE ARRANGEMENTS CAN BE MADE.